



Roxbury Heritage State Park Dillaway-Thomas House

Department of Conservation and Recreation

JULY-AUGUST 2023 PROGRAMS

All programs are free and open to the public. An adult must accompany children under 15. Park grounds are open daily, 9:00am-5:30pm. The house is open Wednesday-Sunday, 10:00am-5:00pm. Reasonable accommodations available upon advance request. For more information, call **857-399-1225** or email roxbury.heritage@mass.gov.

Wednesday-Sunday **DILLAWAY-THOMAS HOUSE SELF-GUIDED TOURS** **10:00am—5:00pm**

Inside this colonial-era house, an interactive exhibit tells the story of Roxbury's evolution across three centuries. Ages 8 and above.

Thursday-Saturday **DILLAWAY-THOMAS HOUSE GUIDED TOURS** **2:00pm-3:00pm** (ongoing)

This tour highlights events, people and objects from the exhibit. Ages 12 and above. Please call ahead for group tours.

Wednesdays, Thursdays **ARCHEOLOGY POP-UP LABS** **10:00am—4:00pm**

July 26, 27
Aug 16, 17
Drop by for an engaging hands-on experience in archeology with our DCR archeologists! Participate in simulated dig activities and help us clean, document, and photograph actual artifacts found at DCR sites. All ages welcome, children (ages 7+) to adults. Groups of six or more, please call to schedule a visit.

Saturday **WALKING TOUR (NEW!):** **Aug 19,** **"Exploring Roxbury's Wild and Green Spaces"** **9:30am-12pm** Put on your hiking shoes! This 2-mile tour visits natural and cultivated green spaces in Roxbury, including designated urban wilds, urban farms and community gardens, and striking puddingstone formations. Meet at the Dillaway-Thomas House. Inclement weather will cancel. Suitable for ages 7 and above **Sunday** **Aug 20,** **1:00-3:30pm**

MORE PROGRAMS CONTINUED ON OTHER SIDE

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Fridays

July 14, Aug 4

WALKING TOUR:

“Preserving an Inclusive History”

10:00am-11:30am

Join us for a one-mile walking tour of Roxbury’s Highland Park neighborhood, revealing stories of resilience and community-building in the 1970s, layered into buildings from the 1800s. Meet at the Dillaway-Thomas House. Ages 12 and above. Please call ahead in case of inclement weather.

SPECIAL EVENT

Thursdays,

Fridays,

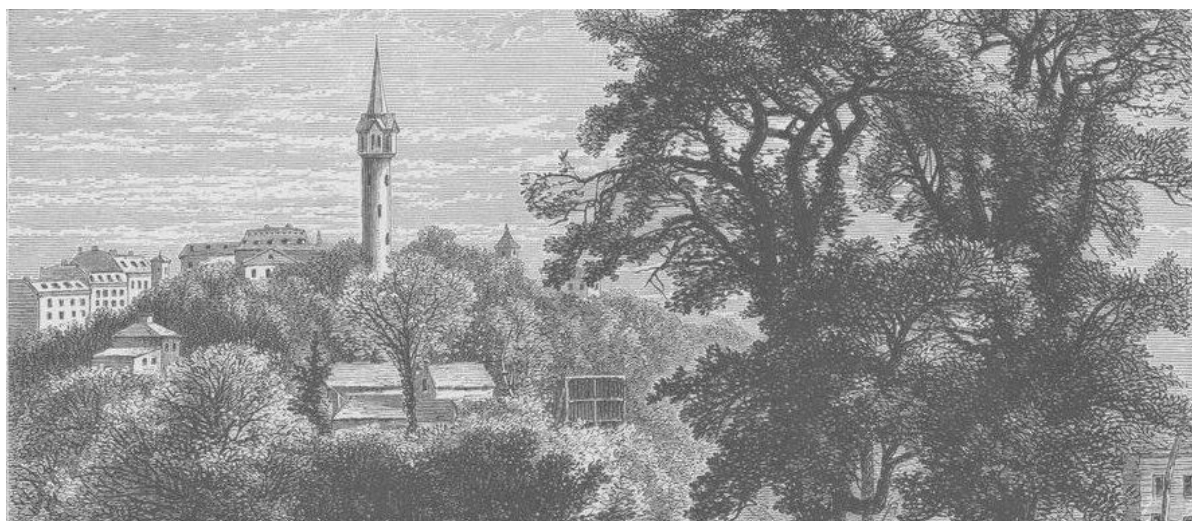
Saturdays

July 6—Aug 12
(no event July 8)

SUMMER NIGHTS with AFRIKAI

5:30pm—8:00pm

Join AfriKai at Roxbury Heritage for vibrant evenings of live performances, games, free food, and more for youth and families! Events take place outdoors on the park grounds. DCR Summer Nights provides free programs for youth and young adults in urban areas across the Commonwealth.



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